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ELECTRONIC DEVICE
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**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT
UNDER 37 CFR 1.97 AND 1.98**

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Sir:

Pursuant to Applicants' duty of disclosure, enclosed please find copies of Official Actions respectively issued on August 3, 2006 and August 18, 2006, respectively in connection with counterpart Korean and Chinese applications. Also enclosed are English translations of the respective Official Actions. A copy of Japanese Patent Application Publication No. 06-82927, cited in the enclosed Official Action issued on August 3, 2006, is enclosed; all other documents cited in this Official Action cited on August 3, 2006, as well as all documents cited in the enclosed Official Action issued on August 18, 2006, have previously been cited in connection with the above-identified application.

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Japanese Patent Application Publication No. 2001-68858, No. 10-013036, and No. 01-189999, cited in the Official Action issued on August 18, 2006, have previously been cited in the Information Disclosure Statement submitted January 18, 2005, in the above-identified application; and Japanese Patent Application Publication No. 06-52716 and No. 2000-133900 have previously been cited in the Information Disclosure Statement submitted June 14, 2006, in the above-identified application. Further enclosed herewith is a Form PTO/SB/08A, listing the enclosed documents.

This Information Disclosure Statement is being submitted subsequent to issuance of a Notice of Allowance in the above-identified application, issued on September 29, 2006, but prior to payment of the Issue Fee in connection therewith. For satisfying requirements of 37 C.F.R. §1.97(d), the fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(p) is enclosed, and the following Statement is made under 37 C.F.R. §1.97(e):

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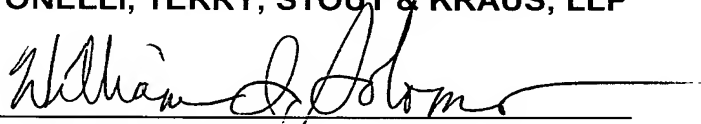
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